

Moving Toward Equity and Sustainability in Rural Energy: Putting Gender Concepts into Action

Workshop Overview

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Background

- Importance of gender roles in energy: under-recognized.
 - Women key stakeholders, but rarely involved.
 - Energy field behind others in incorporating gender.
- Challenge is putting concepts into action.

Objectives

- Share experiences: gender analysis and methodologies
- Strategize on barriers and opportunities mainstreaming gender
- Define a Common Agenda and next steps



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Structure

- Panels: energy & non-energy sector experiences
- Small group discussions on key issues
- Final plenary discussion and conclusions

Output

- Summary of achievements since VP'98
- Identification of key obstacles and challenges
- Common Agenda setting 5-year targets
- Core indicators to measure our progress

